13.45–15.15 | Panel 5: Motivations for Immigration
Chair: Viola Allanov-Rautenberg (Hamburg)

Haim Sperber (Acco)
Deserted Wives and Deserting Husbands, 1851–1914

Victoria Kumar (Graz)
Land of Promise, Place of Refuge – Jewish Emigration and National Socialist Expulsion from Austria to Palestine 1920–1945

Sara Yael Hirschhorn (Chicago)
City on a Hilltop – American Jewish Immigration and the Israeli Settler Movement

15.45–17.15 | Panel 6: Non-Jewish Migration to Israel
Chair: Sonia Dickow (Hamburg)

Ori Yehudai (Toronto)
Undesirables – Non-Jewish Migrants, Israel, and the Postwar Jewish World

Sarah Willen (Storrs/Connecticut)
Israel’s “Other” Others – Global Migrants, Mass Deportation, and the Embodiment of Sociopolitical Exclusion in Early 21st-Century Tel Aviv

Rebeca Rajman (Haifa)
Non-Jewish Migration to Israel – Trends and Challenges

9.30–11.00 | Panel 7: Emigration
Chair: Carmen Smiatacz (Hamburg)

Roni Mikel Arieli (Munich/Jerusalem)
Memories of Migration and Migration of Memory – The Jewish Yishuv in Palestine Reacts to the Jewish Deportation to Mauritius (1940–1945)

Yinin Cohen (New York)
The demographic success of Zionism – Emigration from Israel to the US in the past 40 years

Uzi Rebhun (Jerusalem)
Emigration and the Construction of Identity among Israeli Jews in Germany

11.15–12.00 | Concluding Discussion
Chair: Viola Alianov-Rautenberg (Hamburg)
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14.00 Greetings and Opening Remarks
Miriam Rürup (Hamburg) and Viola Alianov-Rautenberg (Hamburg)

14.30–16.00 | Panel 1: Comparability of Immigration to Israel
Chair: Miriam Rürup (Hamburg)
Gur Alroey (Haifa)
“Between the Straits” – The Jewish Immigration from Eastern Europe to the United States and Palestine, 1916–1925
Marcos Silber (Haifa)
Migrations, Gender and Family – Bottom-Up Perspectives on Migration, Return and Nations Building in 1950s’ Poland and Israel
Johannes Becke (Heidelberg)
Indigenized Immigrants – A Creolization Perspective on the History of Jewish-Israeli Immigration

16.15–18.15 | Panel 2: The Immigrants and the Absorbing Society
Chair: Andreas Brämer (Hamburg)
Deborah Bernstein (Haifa)
The Gendered Margins of Migration – Prostitution, Pre and Post State
Bat-Zion Eraqi Klorman (Raanana)
The Encounter of Yemeni and Ashkenazi Immigrants in the Yishuv – Social and Political Conflicts
Renen Omer-Sherman (Louisville)
“My father sitting on an empty vegetable crate in the khaki tent among rubbish and rotting oranges” – Youth Aliya & Mizrahi Dissonance in Eli Amir’s Scapegoat (Tarneqigol Kaparot)
Elan Ezrachi (Haifa)
From Adventure to Settling to Possible Return – American Immigration to Israel between 1948 and 1967

18.30–19.30 | Keynote:
Aviva Halamish (Raanana)
Immigration is Israel’s History, so far
Chair: Viola Alianov-Rautenberg (Hamburg)

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9.00–10.30 | Panel 3: Debating Migration
Chair: Hanns Plass (Hamburg)
Daniel Mahla (München)
Orthodox Movements and the Struggle for Immigration Certificates in 1930s Poland
Jannis Panagiotoïdis (Osnabrück)
Defining Jews, Making Israelis – A Transnational Praxeology of the Israeli Migration Regime
Larissa Remennick (Ramat Gan)
Generation 1.5 of Russian Israelis – Integrated but Distinct

10.45–12.15 | Panel 4: Journey, Arrival, and First Experiences
Chair: Linde Apel (Hamburg)
Björn Siegel (Hamburg)
“In Spring, to Palestine” – Economy of Migration and Tourism to Mandatory Palestine in the 1920s and 1930s
Joachim Schlör (Southampton)
“Die Klippen von Jaffa sind keene Metapha” – Experience of Arrival in the Ports of Palestine between the Second and Fifth Aliyah
Michal Kofman (Louisville)
A View from the Domestic Sphere – The Experience of Shared Accommodation

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